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SUBJECT: SEED CORN SHIPMENT

REF: STATE 146730

1. DR. JOHN ZINGAS, HEAD PLANTS PROTECTION SERVICE, MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE AND NATURAL RESOURCES, INFORMED EMBASSY JUNE 14 THAT SHIPMENT OF HYBRID SEEDCORN FROM ASGROW TO STAVRINIDES CHEMICALS WAS ALLOWED ENTRY INTO CYPRUS PENDING RECEIPT OF PHYTOSANTARY CERTIFICATE INDICATING THAT PARENT PLANS WERE FREE FROM STEWART WILT. CERTIFICATE TO THIS EFFECT (NO. 388326 DATED MAY 31 IN INDIANPOLIS) HAS JUST BEEN RECIEVED AND SHIPMENT FORMALLY RELEASED.

2. GOC PLANT HEALTH REGULATIONS ARE SET OUT IN "THE IMPORTATION OF PRODUCE (CONTROL) ORDER 1957-1974". FREEDOM FROM STEWART WILT IS NOT SHOWN AS ENTRY REQUIREMENT. HOWEVER, ARTICLE 15 OF THE LAW PROVIDES FOR GRANTING OF IMPORT PERMITS BY DIRECTOR OF PLANT PROTECTION SERVICE. GRANTING OF PERMITS MAY BE MADE CONDITIONAL ON MEETING CERTAIN STANDARDS NOT INCLUDED IN THE REGULATIONS. THIS PROVISION
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ENABLES PLANT PROTECTION SERVICE TO REACT QUICKLY TO CHANGES IN GROWING AND DISEASE CONDITIONS AROUND THE WORLD.

3. BEFORE ORDERING SEEDS CYPRIOT IMPORTER MUST OBTAIN PERMIT AND TRANSMIT IT TO SUPPLIER SO THAT SUPPLIER AWARE OF ANY RESTRICTIONS BEYOND THOSE CONTAINED IN REGULATIONS. UNFORTUNATELY, STAVRINIDES FAILED TO SEND ASGROW COPY OF

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IMPORT PERMIT WHICH HAD BEEN CLEARLY AMENDED TO REQUIRE
CERTIFICATE OF FREEDOM FROM STEWARD WILT. COPY CURRENT PLANT
QUARANTINE IMPORT REGULATIONS BEING FORWARDED TO ROHWER,
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